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a statement as specified in 37 CFR 1.97(e); or

CFR 1.311, whichever occurs first. Also submitted herewith is:

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	the fee of \$180.00 set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(p) for submission of an Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97(c) to be paid as provided below.
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	STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.97(e)
	is a statement under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.97(e) in the above- ified application.
	Statement Under 37 CFR 1 .97(e)(1) - Each item of information contained in the accompanying information disclosure statement was cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three (3) months prior to the filing of the information disclosure statement.
	Statement Under 37 CFR 1 .97(e)(2) - No item of information contained in the accompanying information disclosure statement was cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application, and, to the knowledge of the undersigned person, after making reasonable inquiry, no item of information contained in the accompanying information disclosure statement was known to any individual designated in 37 CFR 1 .56(c) more than three months prior to the filing of the information disclosure statement.
	PRIOR APPLICATIONS
	application relies, under 35 U.S.C. 120, on the earlier filing date of prior cation(s):
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